

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

INFO OCT-01 AF-06 ISO-00 ERDA-05 AID-05 CEA-01 CIAE-00

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FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6699

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG, ECRP, CG

SUBJECT: PETROLEUM TRADE DATA

REF: STATE A-6881 OF NOV. 6, 1975; STATE A-546 OF JAN. 30, 1976

BEGIN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

1. AVAILABLE PRELIMINARY TRADE DATA PUBLISHED BY GOZ FINANCE MINISTRY ARE GROSSLY INACCURATE. WE BELIEVE THEY UNDERSTATE BY AS MUCH AS 50 PERCENT ACTUAL TRADE IN CRUDE PETROLEUM AND REFINED PRODUCTS. EMBASSY HAS REQUESTED PETROLEUM TRADE FIGURES FROM ZAIRE'S NATIONAL OIL COMPANY PETROZIARE, THUS FAR WITHOUT SUCCESS.

END LIMITED OFFICIAL USE. BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED.

2. PETROL ZAIRE HAS PROVIDED FOLLOWING DATA WHICH WE CONSIDER TO BE RELIABLE:

1974 EXPORTS IN MT

FUEL OIL 133, 137

FUEL OIL

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(BUNKERING) 86, 948

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1974 IMPORTS IN MT

CRUDE OIL 729,251

REFINED PRODUCT 338,550

3. SHOULD DEPARTMENT DESIRE GOZ FINANCE MINISTRY

PETROLEUM STATISTICS, DESCRIBED PARA 1, PLEASE ADVISE.

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## Message Attributes

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